

Water-Data Report 2008

01379200 DEAD RIVER NEAR MILLINGTON, NJ

PASSAIC RIVER BASIN

LOCATION.--Lat 40°38′59″, long 74°31′27″ referenced to North American Datum of 1983, Warren Township, Somerset County, NJ, Hydrologic Unit 02030103, at bridge on King George Road (Spur County Route 527), 100 ft upstream from mouth, 2.0 mi south of Millington, and 4.2 mi south of Basking Ridge.

DRAINAGE AREA.--20.8 mi².

SURFACE-WATER RECORDS

PERIOD OF RECORD.--Occasional low-flow measurements, water years 1962-67. Miscellaneous measurements, water years 1973-75, 1987-88, and 1998 to current year.

GAGE .-- Staff gage.

REMARKS.--Flow includes some sewage effluent.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2007 TO SEPTEMBER 2008

Date	Discharge, in ft³/s
Dec 5, 2007	24.8
Feb 27, 2008	104
Jun 10, 2008	9.99
Sep 3, 2008	5.18

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WATER-QUALITY RECORDS

PERIOD OF RECORD.--Water years 1962, 1963-65, 1967, 1998 to current year.

REMARKS.--Cooperative Network Site Descriptor: Urban Land Use Indicator, NJ Department of Environmental Protection Watershed Management Area 6.

COOPERATION.--Physical measurements and samples for laboratory analysis were collected in cooperation with the NJ Department of Environmental Protection. Determinations of dissolved ammonia, dissolved orthophosphate, and suspended residue were performed by the NJ Department of Health and Senior Services, Environmental and Chemical Laboratory.

WATER-QUALITY DATA WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2007 TO SEPTEMBER 2008

Part 1 of 3 [Remark codes: <, less than; E, estimated.]

Date	Time	Instan- taneous dis- charge, ft3/s (00061)	Turbdty white light, det ang 90+/-30 corrctd NTRU (63676)	UV absorb- ance, 254 nm, wat flt units /cm (50624)	UV absorb- ance, 280 nm, wat flt units /cm (61726)	Baro- metric pres- sure, mm Hg (00025)	Dis- solved oxygen, mg/L (00300)	Dis- solved oxygen, percent of sat- uration (00301)	pH, water, unfltrd field, std units (00400)	Specific ic conduc- tance, wat unf µS/cm 25 degC (00095)	Temper- ature, air, deg C (00020)	Temper- ature, water, deg C (00010)	Hard- ness, water, mg/L as CaCO3 (00900)
Dec													
05	1140	25	8.2	.173	.135	749	10.3	75	6.9	845	3.0	2.0	150
Feb													
27	1340	104	11	.136	.105	741	13.1	99	7.1	691	5.0	3.7	110
Jun													
10	0900	10	15	.125	.096	753	2.5	30	7.1	585	24.0	24.6	150
Sep													
03	1130	5.2	16	.102	.078	754	6.7	77	7.4	715	30.5	21.6	150

WATER-QUALITY DATA WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2007 TO SEPTEMBER 2008

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Date	Calcium water, fltrd, mg/L (00915)	Magnes- ium, water, fltrd, mg/L (00925)	Potas- sium, water, fltrd, mg/L (00935)	Sodium, water, fltrd, mg/L (00930)	ANC, wat unf fixed end pt, lab, mg/L as CaCO3 (90410)	Chlor- ide, water, fltrd, mg/L (00940)	Fluor- ide, water, fltrd, mg/L (00950)	Silica, water, fltrd, mg/L as SiO2 (00955)	Sulfate water, fltrd, mg/L (00945)	Residue water, fltrd, sum of consti- tuents mg/L (70301)	Residue on evap. at 180degC wat flt mg/L (70300)	Residue total non- filter- able, mg/L (00530)	Ammonia + org-N, water, fltrd, mg/L as N (00623)
Dec 05	38.7	13.1	3.21	97.9	56	205	E.07	15.6	23.6	E439	440	5	.48
Feb	36.7	13.1	3.21	91.9	30	203	E.07	13.0	23.0	E439	440	3	.40
27	27.6	9.65	1.71	86.5	41	176	E.06	12.1	18.6	E362	385	11	.29
Jun													
10	38.3	13.9	4.46	45.2	90	92.4	E.10	19.7	28.1	E309	351	15	1.9
Sep 03	38.9	13.7	9.22	73.6	86	116	.16	12.1	45.4	393	419	22	.69

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Date	Ammonia water, fltrd, mg/L as N (00608)	Nitrate + nitrite water fltrd, mg/L as N (00631)	Partic- ulate nitro- gen, susp, water, mg/L (49570)	Total nitro- gen, water, fltrd, mg/L (00602)	Total nitro- gen, water, unfltrd mg/L (00600)	Ortho- phos- phate, water, fltrd, mg/L as P (00671)	Phos- phorus, water, fltrd, mg/L as P (00666)	Phos- phorus, water, unfitrd mg/L as P (00665)	Total carbon, suspnd sedimnt total, mg/L (00694)	Inor- ganic carbon, suspnd sedimnt total, mg/L (00688)	Organic carbon, suspnd sedimnt total, mg/L (00689)	Organic carbon, water, fltrd, mg/L (00681)	Boron, water, fltrd, µg/L (01020)
Dec 05	.081	1.54	.05	2.0	2.1	.271	.29	.30	.4	<.04	.4	4.8	136
Feb	.001	1.34	.03	2.0	2.1	.2/1	.29	.50	.+	\.U4	.4	4.0	130
27	.033	1.10	.06	1.4	1.5	.068	.07	.10	.5	<.04	.5	3.6	77
Jun													
10	1.34	1.84	.10	3.7	3.8	.836	.83	1.05	.9	<.04	.9	4.1	188
Sep													
03	.116	6.21	.11	6.9	7.0	1.66	1.65	1.74	.8	<.04	.8	3.9	346